

# Residential Neighborhood Program

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# The Residential Neighborhood Program

- An energy efficiency program targeting DEC's low-income customers
- Delivered by neighborhood segments
- Provides each resident:
  1. Home energy assessment
  2. Installation of several energy conservation measures (ECMs)
  3. Energy education that will enable the residents to make behavioral changes to reduce and control energy usage

# RNP Target Market –Eligibility

- Eligible neighborhoods are those defined segments of PEC customers where approximately 50% of the households have incomes equal to or less than 200% of the federal poverty level\*.
- DEC determines eligible neighborhoods
- DEC prioritizes neighborhoods and specifies the implementation order

\*Federal Poverty Income Guidelines issued by the US DOE



# RNP Energy Conservation Measures

- ◆ Compact Fluorescent Lights (CFL's) (15)
- ◆ Water Heater Wrap\* & Insulation for Water Pipes
- ◆ Water heater temperature check & adjustment
- ◆ Low Flow Faucet Aerator (3)
- ◆ Low Flow Showerhead (2)
- ◆ Wall Plate Thermometer
- ◆ AC Winterization Kit (3)
- ◆ A year's supply of HVAC filters
- ◆ Change Filter Calendar
- ◆ Air Infiltration Reduction Measures

\* Electric water heaters only

# Program Implementation

Marketing – work with local community leaders, notify residents in advance, build awareness & acceptance of program in the community and arrange access to customer residence

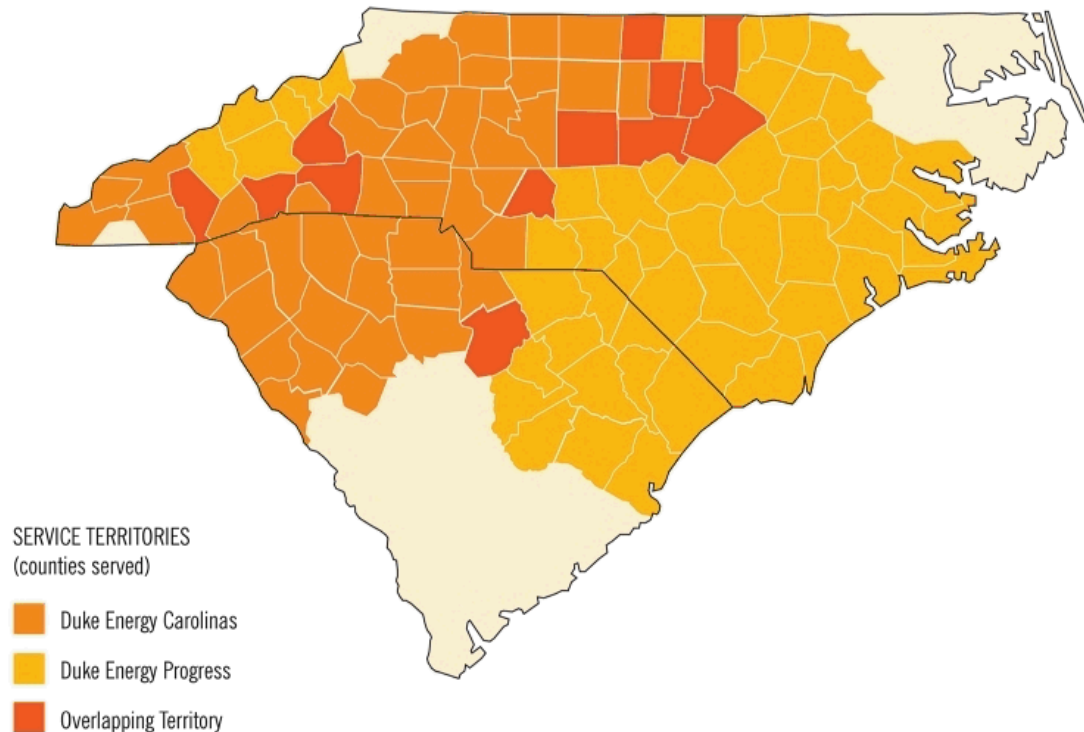
The Home Improvement Process involves teams of surveyors and installers going door-to-door delivering services to each customer's residence

1. Energy assessment
2. Installation of measures
3. Energy education

# RNP Neighborhood Selection

Williamston, SC – 208 homes  
Spartanburg, SC – 268 homes  
Greenville, SC – 193 homes\*  
Lancaster, SC – 69 homes\*

Charlotte, NC – 483 homes\*  
Greensboro, NC – 362 homes  
Winston-Salem, NC – 182 homes\*



\* Indicates neighborhood is currently in progress



# Residents Attend Kick-Off Event



# The RNP Crew





# Crew Installs the Energy Measures and Explains Energy Savings

